



Eric Newman <

I THINK

2 messages

andrea piche <

To:

Mon, May 14, 2012 at 10:02 PM

The coin is a REBUS

I DONT THINK IT'S A SUN DIALI THINK ITS A CLOCK

The Sundial is actually a clock and the clock also represents a stack of coins TIME IS MONEY



LOOK CLOSELY AND YOU WILL SEE THE COINS

One of Franklins favourite sayings was TIME IS MONEY

The triangle is a compass A Masonic Symbol used to divide a mans time equally into three 8 hour portions

ONE THIRD OF A DOLLAR = THREE EQUAL PARTS THE COMPASS IS ALSO A RIGHT ANGLE



MAKE TIME .

.MAKE MONEY...

(PERHAPS D.R SMALL DIDNT DIVIDE THE MONEY EQUALLYLOL!!)

The first eight hours are for worshipping God and helping others, another eight are for work and the last eight are for sleep and restoration

MIND YOUR BUSINESS = TAKE CARE OF YOUR BUSINESS

THE SUN IS ACTUALLY A MOONMEANING IT IS NIGHTTIME

MIND YOUR BUSINESS ..MAKE SURE

MAKE SURE MAKE TIME.....MAKE MONEYAT NIGHT

THE RIGHT TIME TO MAKE MONEY IS AT NIGHT.

ANDREA <

To:

Sun, Nov 18, 2012 at 2:46 PM

ActuallyThomas Paine & common sense tells me it means

TIS TIME TO PART

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Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

Continental Currency research questions

2 messages

Wayne Homren <[REDACTED]>

Thu, May 3, 2012 at 8:02 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Eric:

I hope all is well as you approach another birthday. I've been meaning to call you and should do that soon. Meanwhile, a woman named Andrea Catherine Grimason contacted me hoping to get in touch with you. She says she's been researching the 1776 Continental Currency coins and would like to discuss some of her conclusions with you. Is it OK to pass on to her your email address and/or phone number? Her email address is [REDACTED]

-Wayne

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Fri, May 4, 2012 at 4:21 PM

Dear Wayne:

Thank you for the premature birthday greetings. I ain't what I used to be.

I look forward to a telephone call from you at an time it is convenient and have something hot for us to discuss,

As to Andrea Catherine Grimason and her work on the Continental Dollar Coinage please have her outline and Email me whatever conclusions she has reached, etc. Either you or she should include a little about her numismatic background. Then I can see if I can be appropriately helpful.

Esylumily yours.

Eric

[Quoted text hidden]



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

1776 continental currency coin

1 message

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Sun, May 6, 2012 at 6:19 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Mr. Newman

I would like to thank you for taking the time to send me a reply. I didn't think I would be able to reach you at all and I want you to know how much I appreciate having the opportunity to discuss the matter with you in person.

I have put a great deal of time and effort into researching the continental currency coin and there have been many times I wished for just 5 minutes with that Eric P. Newman fellowand now that you are just on the other end of this email message I would be telling a lie if I told you I am not nervous to hear what you have to say. But at the same time I have dotted my I's and crossed my T's and I feel confident.

We may have a difference of opinion at the moment but I think if we put our heads together we will find the missing link that leads to the truth about this mysterious yet beautiful reminder of the past.

To be honest I have already had this conversation with youdozens of times and it usually goes the same way each time.....I tell you my thoughtsyou nod a few times.....ask a few questions and then you smile and tell me that you agree with meand I wake up and realize it was only a dream... LOL !

I have a great deal of respect for you Mr Newman..... even though I have spent the past 6 months trying my best to prove you wrong ...ahh hahaha ah !!

and the fact that you are willing to discuss this matter with me is not only an honor and a privilege..... it is a dream come true.

OK ...enough of that

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But I'm sure you know exactly where you put yoursLOL !

Sincerely

Andrea Grimason



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

Re: 1776 Continential Currency Coin

13 messages

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Mon, May 7, 2012 at 2:52 PM

Dear Andrea Grimson:

I appreciate receiving your message about the Continental Currency Coinage matter and the information about you. I have been to Timbuktu in Mali, visited the Soho Mint near Birmingham and was in Belfast when a numismatic friend of mine was involved in an incident over the wall.

You telephoned me and I was unable to answer as I am pretty old and sleep a lot.

I am accustomed to receiving challenges to what I have written or believe. If you have differences of opinion or uncertainty on a matter I welcome your thinking. So please try to write me or Email me as I prefer that method and let me decide whether a telephone conversation is advisable.

Research is not satisfying unless it is continually tested.

Eric P. Newman Numismatic Education Society

In a message dated 5/6/2012 5:19:57 P.M. Central Daylight Time, [REDACTED] writes:

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andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

To: [REDACTED]

Tue, May 8, 2012 at 4:01 PM

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I have started with a few brief statements but I have pages of documented information to back up my theory and I would be happy to provide this information to you upon your request.

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Were all Continental Currency coins struck in 1776 ?

Was Elisha credited for making all continental currency coins or just the ones that have EG on them.?

Thank you
Andrea
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andrea piche <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Wed, May 9, 2012 at 2:19 AM

The 1776 paper continental currency was issued Feb 17 1776 and a copper coin was mentioned in a newspaper article a few months later.

Even if Elisha had a mint next door and a crew of experienced workers the chances of him redesigning the coin....presenting it for approval waiting for it to be approved and striking it in the matter of a few months are slim to none.....and to assume he did this seven times ...well thats one of the reason why I disagree with the thought that Elisha was responsible for making the dies

One of the only facts that seems to be agreed upon is the original coin was designed by Ben Franklin and common sense tells me that due to the complex nature of the security features on the coin it would have taken some time and trial and error to perfect the design

therefore unless Elisha had video conference on his i phone..... it would have been hard for him to discuss the matter with Franklin given the fact that Benjamin Franklin had been living in London from 1757 - 1775.

I could go on and on with many more explanations as to why the coins struck in pewter copper brass and silver did not exist in 1776 and why it would not have been possible for Elisha to make themand why it makes more sense that EG stands for made by example.

The truth is with a little common sense its not hard to figure out if you take the fact that franklin was in london at the time the coin was designedand if you read the story of the soho mint I think you will agree it makes more sense that the coin was made there than in a country that didnt have a mint and has no records the coin even existed

So the next thing i did was go back in history to see what Franklin was doing in 1775 and this is when things started to fall into place.....For instance ...In 1775....

Franklin spent most of his time with a group of men who happened to be partners of a man who owned the soho mint and one of those men happened to be the man I inherited my coin from.

I already knew it came from my uncles uncle Mr william murdock a crew member on the titanic but i had no idea there was another william Murdock involved and the fact that he was Matheww Boultons business partner in 1775 and that he worked at the mint with franklin on a daily basis makes for a very good possiblity that my coin was made at the soho mint in 1775

It was mentioned that the coins were made in secrecy and the fact that there were no minutes kept of what these men were doing late at night at a coin mint in 1775 is a good reason to think its possible and even likely they were making a coin that they did not want anyone to know about it

this is where things started to make sense.....it's also where i spent several months digging as deep into the subject as i could and the info i discovered is why I am certain that the coin i have is an important clue to the mystery that noone has been able to solve

I dont mean to be disrepectful to you sir but you have to admit most of the info available is only guesswork based on information that was uncertain to begin with

at this point I would like to know if you think elisha prepared the dies and the coins were struck in 1776.

If you disagree with what I have told you I can provide more explanations and info as I have only skimmed over the basic reasons

I am attaching a photo of my coin but in order to get the full feel of it you really need to see it in person...you can see how someone was hand engraving it and slipped a few times with the tool.... you can see how deep the groves are and that every letter is different the e's are not the same as the other e's the r;s and n;s are different from eachother.etc

To be honest I am not sure if it is a coin or not ...it could very well be a coin weight or perhaps it was a mistake that was tossed aside and later found and copied and the new coins were struck in pewter and made for by the sake of example. My coin weighs 11.9 grams and it is smaller in diameter than the larger version with the word currency spelled right.

It almost looks like it was overstruck on a copper coin and silver plated

The edge of the coin does not have a casting seam it looks more like there is a third coin sticking out from in between two coins.....

In the same leather pouch there were several other coins from the late 1700's I will send you photos of them also

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On Mon, May 7, 2012 at 12:52 PM, <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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2 attachments



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andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Wed, May 9, 2012 at 3:37 AM

To: [REDACTED]

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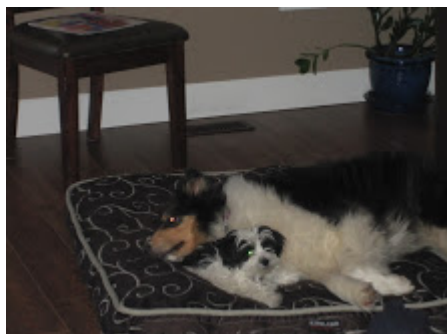
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andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

To: [REDACTED]

Wed, May 9, 2012 at 1:26 PM

I am sorry I'm not sure how I managed to send the photo of my new puppy sorry about that

I'll send you some more photos soon

of the coin that is ...not the puppy .!! LOL !

Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

To: [REDACTED]

Wed, May 9, 2012 at 3:29 PM

Mr.Newman

Other than the newspaper articles is there any evidence that continental currency coins existed in 1776 ?

Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

To: [REDACTED]

Thu, May 10, 2012 at 5:20 PM

Dear Andrea Grimason:

It is essential that I see a good image of your Continental Currency coin and I am awaiting patiently for it. While awaiting it I want to point out a few matters which may help you a little.

Elisha Gallaudet was an experienced American engraver of Huguenot descent. He engraved and was paid for three rectangular designs used on each of the New York Colony bills of credit dated Feb.1, 1771 with denominations ranging from English Colonial 5 shillings to 10 English Colonial Pounds. I think he lived and worked in New York City. In 1774 he engraved the decorations and proposed machinery on the New York Water Works circulating notes and these were issued through 1776. He was working in New York City (probably alone) when the British were about to occupy the area and took his equipment and family to nearby Freehold, New Jersey. He had much earlier engraved and signed some scenes for a book of sermons by an English preacher named Whitefield who spent much time in America giving sermons.

As to Benjamin Franklin he selected or created the designs and mottos on the paper Continental Currency issues commencing in June 1775 (dated Feb 17 which was the Continental Congress authorizing date). That accounts for the printing time in Philadelphia. When he left for Europe as minister plenipotentiary he was fully aware of the need for silver coinage from any issuer or silver itself and was seeking sources of silver for loans from Spain, France or Holland. He must have known of the thinking for or creation of Continental Currency Coinage but it was obviously a necessary secret.or hopeful one

The metals out of which Continental Currency Coinage were made is easily explained as some coinage showed improvement of the dies.

I did not realize previously that you had a coin and now I can understand your tremendous enthusiasm for the topic

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andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

To: [REDACTED]

Fri, May 11, 2012 at 4:58 PM

Dear Sir

I am sorry for taking so long to get back to you. Unfortunately I do not have a really good photo of my coin at the moment and I do not have the coin with me at the moment. I manage a resort and I spend 2 weeks away from home and then I go home for a weekend and back to the resort again. I will be going home next weekend and I will take some photos and send them to you ASAP in the meantime I hope the attached photo will do.

It is my understanding that Benjamin Franklin was aware of a need for a continental currency long before 1776 he was also trying to find a much needed way to prevent counterfeit coins well before 1776and it was mentioned several times in history books that he had been working on such a project.well before 1776

Therefore if Franklin was the one who designed the coin it was more than likely designed in London as that is where he lived from 1757 -1775.

The security features on the coin were quite complex and in order for him to design the coin he would have had to physically make a coin. In other words he could not have designed this coin by drawing it on paper alone. It was a project that would have taken time and trial and error.

If you look at the 13 rings you can see there are lines and each line points exactly to the middle of each circle.

There had to be 13 circles of a certain size and each had to have a line pointing to the middle and the letters American Congress had to fit just so and on the obverse the letters that spell continental currency and to fit in proportion with 1776 at the bottom and to top it off it had to be a certain weight and diameter...as I mentioned it was a mathematical scientific project that was in the making well before the paper bill was printed



to assume Elisha redesigned the coin had it approved and struck in a matter of months in a country that did not have a mint in operation

If you look close at my coin you can see how the letters seem to be evenly spaced until you get to the E & N in CURRENCY..... then..... it looks like the spacing was adjusted to make up for the fact that there wasn't enough room to fit a second R

My coin is smaller in diameter than the coin spelled CURRENCY so whoever redesigned the coin to accommodate the extra R had to make the coin bigger which meant they had to adjust the size of the circles and the weight of the coin and so on.

For this reason I think my coin was designed before the coin spelled currency and the fact that the circles on my coin are not perfectly round as opposed to the circles on the coin struck in pewter tells me that when they redesigned the coin they improved the look of the circles and made them uniform in shape and size

common sense tells me the coin was redesigned to look nicer rather than visa versa

But the thing that stands out the most is the fact that the redesigned coins were struck in a collar and my coin was not.

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andrea piche <[redacted]>

To: [redacted]

Fri, May 11, 2012 at 5:03 PM

Dear Sir

The fact that I have a coin is why I started looking into continental currency coins to begin with ...but the mystery and the challenge is what keeps me going.

Do you if allcontinental currency coins were supposed to have been struck in 1776 ?

Thank you
Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]

andrea piche <[redacted]>

To: [redacted]

Sat, May 12, 2012 at 2:43 PM

Dear Sir

I havent heard back from you ...I was really hoping you knew some of the answers I have been unable to find ...I really wish I knew what that newspaper article said because I dont think the coins were struck in 1776 and I'm not sure why it is thought that they were seeing they are not mentioned anywhere in 1776 except for a brief article in a local newspaper.

I am also very curious to know if they were all supposed to have been struck in 1776 ...I think it makes more sense that they were struck in pewter like most tokens were and they were all dated 1776 to commemorate the declaration of independence.

I dont think they were made until after 1792 when the first mint was in operation but most likely later than that as the mint was in early stages and did not operate very well perhaps closer to 1860.

Thanks
Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]

andrea piche <[redacted]>

To: [redacted]

Sat, May 12, 2012 at 7:38 PM

Mr Newman

Could you please let me know if you recieved my questions.

I will be home soon and I will send you some better pics of my cointhere is something I want to discuss with you on the reverse ...

but it is complicated and I would prefer to talk to you about it in person (on Google Chat)

Thanks
andrea
[Quoted text hidden]

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Sat, May 12, 2012 at 7:48 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Mr Newman

I have seen hundreds of photos of my coin and a few of them have a similar look (ancient) however they all have a different E in the word CURENCY mine isn't as close to the R as the others and mine doesn't have a little tail (for lack of a better word)

Thanks
ANDrea
[Quoted text hidden]

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Mon, May 14, 2012 at 12:34 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Mr Newman

Thank you for the information about Elisha Elisha's work on the coin was based on sketches apparently provided to him by Benjamin Franklin, who worked with others. Several varieties of the coin were made, with Elisha leaving his mark on one of them, noting "EG FECIT," meaning "Elisha Gallaudet made it."

Do you know who the others Franklin worked with ?

Do you think continental currency coins were struck in pewter in 1776 .

Do you think Elisha was responsible for making all varieties of the continental currency coin ?

and if sodo you think Elisha made all varieties in 1776

Mr Newman if you are the person reading this email will you please just let me know that You are recieving my questions ...I am begining to feel like Dorthy speaking to THE WIZARD OF OZ.....

I wuld really love to hear you own thoughts I have read so many articles and they are all pretty much the same....

I have seen some of the titles regarding these coins ..books that ERIC P NEWMAN wrote as well as others but I have been unable to find copies of them at local libraries or bookstores

There are so many statements made about these coins that my common sense just wont accept possible

ONE more question

Do you think the coins struck in pewter were struck in a collar ?

Please let me know when you recieve this emailI havent heard back from you. I was so excited last week when you had contacted me I couldn't believe I was actually speaking to you but I havent heard from you since ...did I say something to offend you ?
I hope not because I have the utmost respect for you

I look forward to your reply ...even if you dont have the answers

Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

1776 coin

1 message

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Wed, May 9, 2012 at 5:21 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Newman

I couldnt figure out what was happening to my email messages ...I noticed at times they were being sent twice and some of them seemed to disappear into thin air.

But I just figured out whyI had my email open in Internet Explorer and Google Chrome....anyway I am going to close one of them now so it shouldn't happen again

Sorry for all the confusion.

I have read page after page and researched book after book and although information about most coins is quite detailed there is no mention of the continental currency coin
...they just seem to skip right past it its as though it didnt even exist !!

Maybe that is why they didnt mention these coinsmaybe they didnt existin 1776

Is there anything other than the 1776 newspaper articles to say that such a coin did in fact exist in 1776 ?

Do you know what the articles said.?

Thanks
ANdrea



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

you have not replied

6 messages

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Sat, May 19, 2012 at 11:26 AM

To: [REDACTED]

To Whom it may concern

I guess when you get your hopes up too high you should also prepare yourself up for a greater fall.

I have sent you my personal thoughts, the information I found through months of research, and photos of my coin at your request and you have not answered one of my simple questions.

I am starting to think the person I am sending these email messages is not Mr Eric P Newman. I do not believe he would ignore me because he has been in my situation to many times and he knows how I feel.

If you are in fact Eric P Newman I appologize for coming to the wrong conclusion perhaps you are sick and unable to answer my questions at this timebut if this is the case could you have someone contact me to let me know ...if I do not hear back from you I am going to assume the person on the other end of this email is not ERIC P NEWMAN and pursue the matter out of respect for him.

Andrea

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Sun, May 20, 2012 at 5:17 PM

Dear Andrea?

I have not received an image of your coin and I am waiting for it. How, when and from where was it sent if it was sent to me. Eric P. Newman.

[Quoted text hidden]

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Mon, May 21, 2012 at 7:01 AM

To: [REDACTED]

Mr Newman

I sent a photo of my coin to you but if you did not recieve it I will send it again.

I also sent you a few questions perhaps you did not receive them either ..??

If you could send a reply to this email and let me know that you have received my questions that would be great and if you would be so kind as to take a few moments and tell me in your own words what you think the would be fantastic.

It would make me feel alot better to know that it is really you I am talking to.sir....and I'll send you the photo's

Thank yiu

Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Tue, May 22, 2012 at 4:04 PM

Dear Andrea:

I have not received the coin photo (s) you said you sent to me. I specifically asked you to send me when, from where and by what means you sent it. I am very concerned when an item sent to me is not delivered to me. Please send me the information I asked you for in my last message to you.

Eric P. Newman

[Quoted text hidden]


andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Tue, May 22, 2012 at 4:11 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Newman

Yes I am a little concerned myself

I have pasted the photo right to the body of the email this time  P1040090.JPG

I have also sent it as an attachment ...please let me know when you receive them

and Happy Birthday in case I dont get a chance to talk to you on the 25th !!

[Quoted text hidden]



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andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Wed, May 23, 2012 at 9:49 PM

To: [REDACTED]

As I mentioned it isnt the best but it gives you an idea....

If you look close you can tell it was done by hand

- there are little marks that look like an engraving tool slipped
- there are 4 N's but they are all different ...same with the E's and the T's
- you cant tell by looking at the pic but the grooves are really deep
- it seems to be a copper coin silver plated

but the thing that makes it unique is on the back

Mr Newman I am not sure if it is in fact you that I am sending my messages to but if we could CHAT I could ask you a few questions that very few people could answer other than MR ERIC P NEWMAN ...do you have google chat ?

THANK YOU

Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

a better photo

3 messages

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Thu, May 24, 2012 at 1:59 AM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Newman

I just realized that I sent you the wrong image ..I have attached another photo this one you can zoom in and see the coin close up

please get back to me soon

Thank
You
Andrea



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andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Thu, May 24, 2012 at 3:55 AM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Sir

I am sorry I didn't mean to send that photo to you eitherhere is the photo I meant to attach

PS

I hope you have a very Happy Birthday tomorrow

Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]



P1040090.JPG
1198K

Thu, May 24, 2012 at 3:59 AM

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

To: [REDACTED]

Mr Newman

I hope this one will allow you to get a closer look ...it almost looks like there were letters inside the inner circle on the obverse ...almost like it was made out of a previous coin.

I think there is a connection between the continental currency coin and the UGLY HEAD COIN what do you think about that.

thx

Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

Re: you have not replied

4 messages

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Mon, Jun 4, 2012 at 12:32 PM

In a message dated 5/23/2012 10:49:59 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time, [REDACTED] writes:

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ANdrea

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In a message dated 5/21/2012 7:01:15 A.M. Central Daylight Time,
[REDACTED] writes:

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Thank yiu
Andrea

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Andrea

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

To: [REDACTED]

Mon, Jun 4, 2012 at 12:41 PM

Hello

I see your email message but there are no words

Please get back to me soon

Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

To: [REDACTED]

Mon, Jun 4, 2012 at 2:46 PM

Mr Newman

I know the quality of my photos is poor and as soon as I can I will take some better photos for you but for now until my parents return from vacation the coin is locked in their safe.

I am sending another image to you today. You should be able to make the image larger and get a better look at the detail
.....

It looks almost like an oreo cookie with 2 sides and a metal filling in between.

I know what a seam looks like on a cast coin ...this is different.

Please send me a line to let me know you recieved the image



Also you asked me to tell you how when where I sent the photo ...I sent it to

[REDACTED]


I attached a copy and I pasted a copy to the email body on June 4th 2012 at 12 20 pm

I also sent atyached an image and pasted a copy of it to the email body on Tue, May 22, 2012 at 2:11 PM,

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[Quoted text hidden]



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andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Jun 11, 2012 at 12:13 AM

To: [REDACTED]

To whom ever is receiving these emails I am sending

I have found some information that brings me one step closer to finding the last few pieces of the puzzell.....

and just like most of the previous info i have found it was right there in front of us all along ...it just went undetected !!!
until NOW

and I would love nothing more than to share this newfound knowledge with Mr. Newmanand i am sure he would be just as interested in it as i am

But unfortunately I am not sure if he is the person on the other end of this email ...I would like to think that Mr Newman would be a little more understanding when it comes to returning my messages with an answer.rather than keeping me waiting for a reply that is yet to come .

If you are ERIC NEWMAN and you are not interested or dont have time thats fine I will understand and I will not bother you again but please give me the respect and let me knowone way or another

I dont think that is too much to ask

Thank you

Andrea

[Quoted text hidden]



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

TRUE OR FALSE

1 message

andrea piche <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Jun 15, 2012 at 2:22 PM

To: [REDACTED]

mr Newman

I am very disappointed.

i have sent you photos and I have answered your questions and I dont understand why you are ignoring me.

I gave you some very good reasons why some of the things you assumed about the 1776 continental currency coin are not possible

I also gave you some options that make sense and I am as surprised as I am disappointed that you have nothing to say

I thought you would have enjoyed at least discussing the matter with me and I dont understand your silence.

I would prefer to work with you and make some corrections because doing it without you would mean my goal would be to prove you wrong ...and thats not what this is all about.

It is an important part of our history and the information left behind to the next generation should be correct ...at least to the best of our knowledge....

Don't you think ??

Andrea



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

Of the upmost concern

1 message

ANDREA <[REDACTED]>

Sun, Nov 18, 2012 at 2:49 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Newman

I have been trying to contact you but I have not heard from you since your last message months ago.

I have been speaking to Wayne Homgren and he tells me he has spoken to you about mebut you do not want to speak to me ...yet you told me you welcomed my thoughts.

I am concerned my email is not reaching you and it would appear to be a concern of yours as well I would like to suggest a telephone call.

Thanks
Andrea

Andrea:

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Eric P. Newman

andrea piche [REDACTED]
May 22



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

(no subject)

1 message

ANDREA <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Dec 7, 2012 at 12:32 AM

To: '[REDACTED]' <[REDACTED]>

It disgusts me to see how many websites, books and articles mimick your incorrect assumptions as though they were true ...I wonder how many of them know that you have absolutely nothing to support such rubbish.

You and I both know Elisha Gaullaudett did not redesign Franklins original design 5 times nor did he strike thousands of pewter continental currency coins in 1776 and **you should be ashamed of yourself** for allowing people to believe this nonsense because you are too proud to admit you made a mistake.

I have tried to discuss the matter with you but you have obviously choosen to ignore me and I just want you to know that I have found without a doubt more than enough doucumented informatiom to prove your guesswork is not only wrong but that it makes absolutely no sense at all...

You can ignore me but you can't ignore the truth ..

.and I will not give up until people are aware they have been purposely telling them lies about the history of their county